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In re Application of :
Sergey V. Bortkevitch, et. al. :
Application No. 10/682,286 : ON PETITION
Filed: October 10, 2003 :
Attorney Docket No. N/A :

This is a decision on the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed by facsimile transmission on January 25, 2006, to revive the above-identified application.

The application became abandoned for failure to timely respond to the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed on April 14, 2005. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed October 11, 2005.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of \$700 for payment of the issue fee and \$300 for payment of the publication fee; (2) the petition fee of \$750; and (3) an adequate statement of unintentional delay. Therefore, the petition is **GRANTED**.

Finance records show that, on October 18, 2005 and January 25, 2006, petitioner submitted \$700 for payment of the issue fee, \$300 for payment of the publication fee and \$750 for payment of the petition fee. However, since the above fees were submitted twice, the fees paid on January 25, 2006 will be treated as a duplicate payment; and therefore, fees totaling \$1,750 will be credited to petitioner's credit card.

This application file is being referred to the Office of Publications to be processed into a patent.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3226.

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